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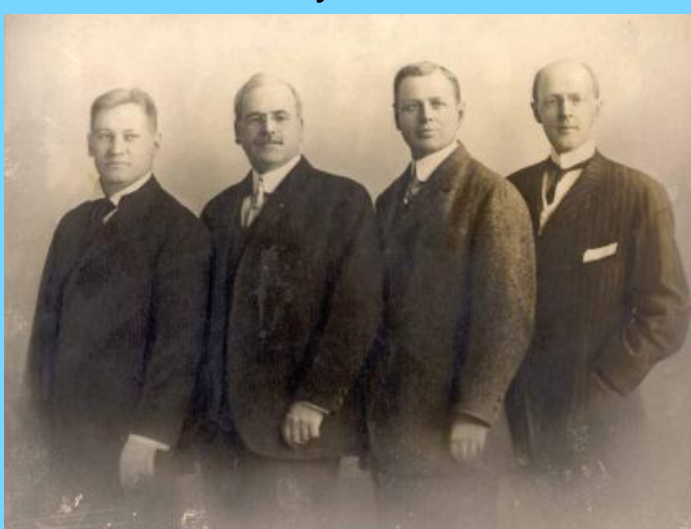
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## A Little Rotary History

By AG Sean

On Wednesday August 17th Mario LaPoma and his wife JoAnn treated club members to some rare audio of an interview with one of Rotary's founders, Paul Harris. Mario's audio, originally on reel to reel tape contained an interview from December 20th, 1945 in Tuskegee, Ala. in which Mr. Harris talks about his childhood living with his paternal grandparents after his birth in 1868 as well as Rotary's formation and the first meeting in Chicago in 1905. He talks about how the International Association of Rotary (as it was originally called) went global in 1910 as the original 16 clubs by this time were formed. Later in 1922 the name was changed to what its presently known as-Rotary International. What's also entertaining is in just a few months after the interview the organization would celebrate its 43rd birthday. He also refers to the club members as men prior to women



joining in the late 1980's. The Jacksonville, Fla. Club which at one time had quite a few of these tapes is one of the 50 oldest in the world and at one time would have been the 2nd club following Chicago's club number 1 in 1905. Mr. Harris passed away in 1947 from influenza but almost 70 years later his proud legacy lives on and shines bright throughout the world. If you are interested in listening to this audio see Mario! Thanks to Mario for sharing this with us!



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REMEMBER to bring your Blue CART Jars to the meeting. We have a special CART

guest presenting our program. Woody Sadler, from Virginia, is visiting Rotary Clubs around us. He has a very inspiring message.

We hope to begin filling the BIG BLUE CART Bucket while he is here. Even though it is not the end of the quarter and your jar may not be full, bring it anyway. We want to show Woody what we are doing here in Franklin.

## Busy Visit Week!

This week our own DG Dills visited two of our Area 1 clubs in Murphy and Clay County on Monday and Tuesday. AG Sean also made the visits. The final Area 1 club visit for DG Gary will be Daybreak on October 25th.



## Some Bricks got Passed On Wednesday!



Some of the five bricks that membership co-chair Paul Garner passed out to members encouraging them to bring a guest got passed on to others to encourage doing the same. Among this week's recipients included Robin Jenkins and Jacob Rieche! Please bring a guest!

## BREW Fellowship Meeting Tonight!

For those of you in the BREW Fellowship or if you are interested in joining, please plan to attend the next BREW Fellowship Meeting Thursday Aug. 18th at Lazy Hiker. 530p. See you there!

## Getting Ready for Next Year's Grants!

President Lenny, PE Judy and AG Sean were among those RC of Franklin members attending this past Saturday's District Grant and Foundation seminar in Asheville. Attendees got to hear brief comments from our zone director Joe Mulkerrin.







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## Notes From the Top



Today's meeting was special for me as a relatively new Rotarian. I like many of you, had probably never heard Paul Harris' voice, only his words and legacy as captured on Rotary print material. To hear him speak about how Rotary was founded, why it was founded and what a big deal it had become even by the mid-40's, is pretty amazing. It does make one proud to be a Rotarian.

Last Saturday, several of us attended the Foundation and Grants Seminar at AB Tech in Asheville. If you have not been to one of these seminars, it is not just what you learn, but the other folks you meet. While there, I met members from two clubs that expressed an interest in doing a Global Grant. They didn't think their club could do one, which gave me the perfect segue to ask them to join our Global Grant. Had I not attended, I would not have had the opportunity to ask. Hopefully they will join our Peru Project.

This Friday our exchange student arrives. Bea is from Italy and we look forward to having her in our community for the next year. Our goal is to have her attend a meeting a month. Thanks to Dennis, Susie and the rest of the host team for making her feel at home.

John Yermack threw the first brick, but Paul upped the ante by bringing in 5 bricks the next week. It has turned into a fun way to introduce new people to Rotary. We hope several over the next few months will choose to join either our club or the satellite club, but even if they don't, all of those guests will have learned a little about Rotary. What a great way to make it HAPPEN and make it FUN!

Next week bring your Blue CART Jars! We have a special program!

Thanks for your SERVICE ABOVE SELF SERVING HUMANITY!

Lenny

## Membership Minute

This is the first posting for Kyle Ledford for new membership being sponsored by Jacob Rieche and the first official posting for Valerie Norton being sponsored by Dennis Sanders. Any questions or comments please direct them to President Lenny or any RC of Franklin Board Member.



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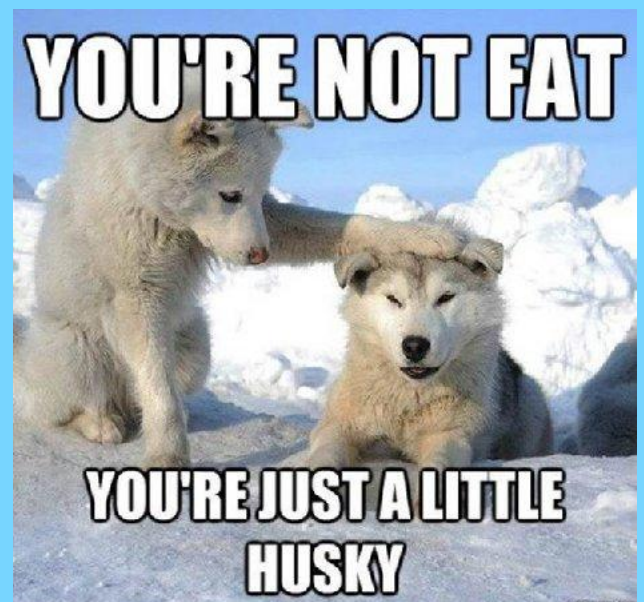
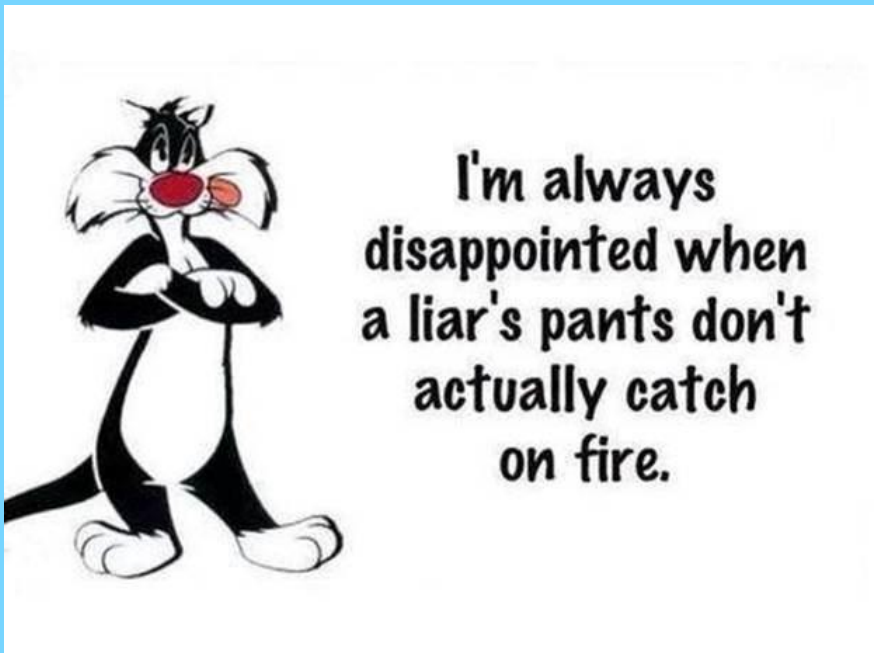
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## You Still have a Good Opportunity to a LOW Registration Fee for the 2017 RI Convention in Atlanta

This is a once in a lifetime opportunity. Cost of registration has gone up a little bit but you can still register for **ONLY \$340** until December 15) Here's the link for registering for the convention... [www.riconvention.org/en/atlanta](http://www.riconvention.org/en/atlanta) **Also you need to hurry because hotel rooms in Atlanta are booking Fast!!!! Here is some additional incentives for registering NOW!...** You can still get \$65 re-imbusement AND earn a PHF for your club by registering the highest percentage of Rotarians in your club category size for the International Convention in Atlanta June 10-14, 2017 AND a PHF for registering the highest percentage of Rotarians in your club category size for the Young Leaders and District Conference in Hickory April 28-30, 2017!!



## More of Fred's Funnies...





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## If Need help Using DacDb heres some instructions....

DacDb is our district data base and is a key source of communication or information gathering amongst our district. If you are in need of help getting on to DacDb here are some steps to take..



\*go to club website [franklinrotary.com](http://franklinrotary.com)

\*click on district website link at top of the page

\*click on the link to [rotary7670.org](http://rotary7670.org)

\*click “login” at top right

\*enter your email address in the user name field then your RI number as password (on Rotarian Magazine label)

\*then enter club number “6013” underneath password

\*click “My Club” in the top menu and you are in.

Any questions please see PDG Dennis or Patsy

## Inbound Student Here This Friday 8/19!

## Rotary Direct is Easy!

Beatrice who like to be called “B” will come to Franklin middle of this month for the 2016—2017 school year. We are looking forward to having Beatrice join us for as many Rotary meetings as her schedule allows. **We do need some help with welcoming her to the new school year here and transportation to events, etc. If you are interested please see President Lenny!**

Foundation co-chair Mike Norris stressed the importance and ease of contributing to the foundation through Rotary Direct. Go to [rotary.org](http://rotary.org) or see Mike if you would like to contribute through direct now! **We currently have 16 enrolled!**

## Rotary Service

8/24

Greeter: Gary St. Arnauld

Prayer/Pledge: Bob Scott







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## The Rotary Club of Franklin Officers and Board Members 2016-17

District Governor: Gary Dills

Assistant District Governor: Sean Gibson

President: Lenny Jordan

President-elect: Judy Chapman

President-nominee: Janet Greene

Secretary: Patsy Parker/Debbie Tallant

Treasurer: Jim Garner

Vocational Service: Karen Kenney/Rich Peoples

Community Service: Patrick Bettencourt/Jim Wilson

Youth Service: Larry Hollifield/Belinda Petricek

International Service: Stacy Guffey /Susie Ledford

Foundation Chair: Mike Norris/Vic Perry

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Program Chair: Janet Greene/Vic Greene

Public Image Chair: Debbie Tallent/Bill Baker

Flywheel Editor: Barbara Lawrence/Dennis Sanders/Lee Berger

Sgt. At Arms: John Hubsch/Sam Blasingame/Hoyt Massey

Immediate Past President: Sean Gibson

*Thanks for all you do in service!*

## Upcoming Events



**Aug 18**—B.R.E.W. Fellowship Meeting Lazy Hiker 530p

**Aug 24**—Franklin Disc Golf Club

**Aug 31**—5th Week Soc TBA

## 50 50 Drawing

1 Ticket —\$1.00

3 Tickets —\$2.00

5 Tickets —\$3.00

10 Tickets—\$5.00

25 Tickets—\$10.00



Jacob

Rieche did not win the big 50 50

pot so it rolls over to 8/24 with 12 cards remaining.



### Next Meeting:

Wed. Aug 24th. Franklin Disc Golf. See you 12 noon Tartan Hall

